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### DISCOVER THE ORIENT WITH CONCORDIA'S EAST ASIAN TOUR

The Orient, a region fascinating to ancient and modern Western explorers, will be explored this spring in a university credit course being co-offered by the History Department of Concordia's Sir George Williams campus and the Continuing Education Division.

Entitled East Asia: Past and Present, the course is designed to immerse students in the history and culture of East Asia through a three week tour of Japan, Hong Kong, Thailand and Singapore.

Directed by two East Asian specialists, Professor Martin Singer, History Department, Concordia's Sir George Williams Campus, and Professor Paul Ropp, History Department, McGill, the course includes three weeks of intensive orientation starting April 26 with lectures, films, guest speakers and assigned readings followed by the three week tour. The class, which departs from Montreal May 17, 1975, will visit important historical and cultural sights, provide opportunities to observe the impact of modernization on the four areas, and will allow students to pursue individual interests in each society.

East Asia: Past and Present is open to students on both a credit and non-credit basis. Students without East Asian background must register in History N261 (Historical and Cultural Background in East Asia); those with background in History N491 (Special Studies in History). Students from other institutions should apply for credit transfers. Anyone interested may take the course on a non-credit basis through the Division of Continuing Education.

Cost of the course is \$1,650 including three nights in Tokyo, one in Hakone, four nights in Kyoto, five nights in Hong Kong, four nights in Bangkok, and two nights in Singapore. The fee covers university tuition, the orientation programme, return economy class air fare, motor excursions, all breakfasts and dinners, hotel accommodation (double occupancy), gratuities, airport transfers, and the transfer of two pieces of baggage (up to 44 lbs) by air and land.

Classes begin Saturday April 26 through May 13 and will be held Tuesday and Thursday evenings from 7 - 9 p.m. and Saturdays from 9:30 a.m. to 1 p.m. Registration must be completed on the prescribed form and returned as soon as possible. Deadline for applications is April 16.

For further information, call J.R. McBride or Jacqueline Shaw at 879-2865.